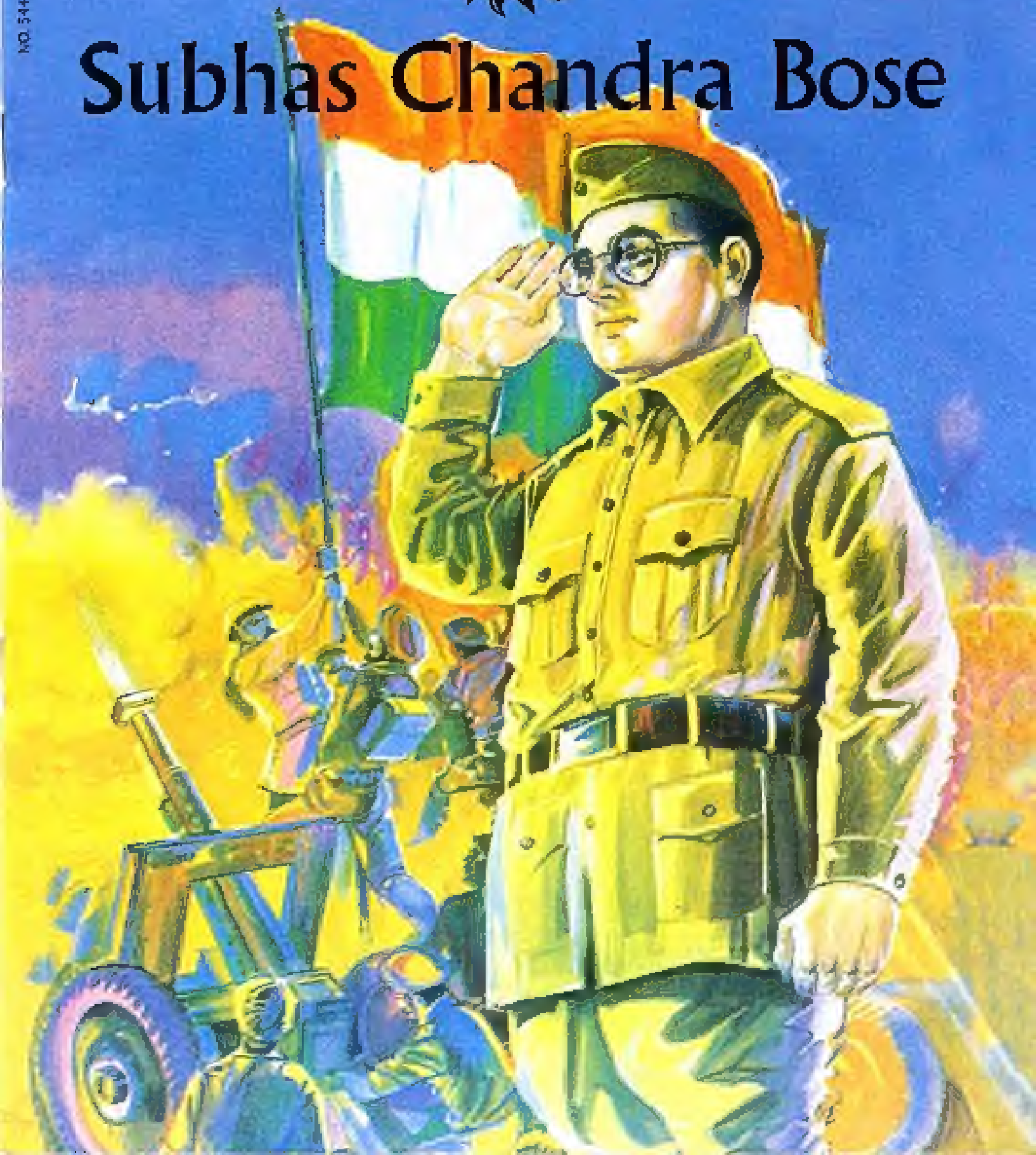


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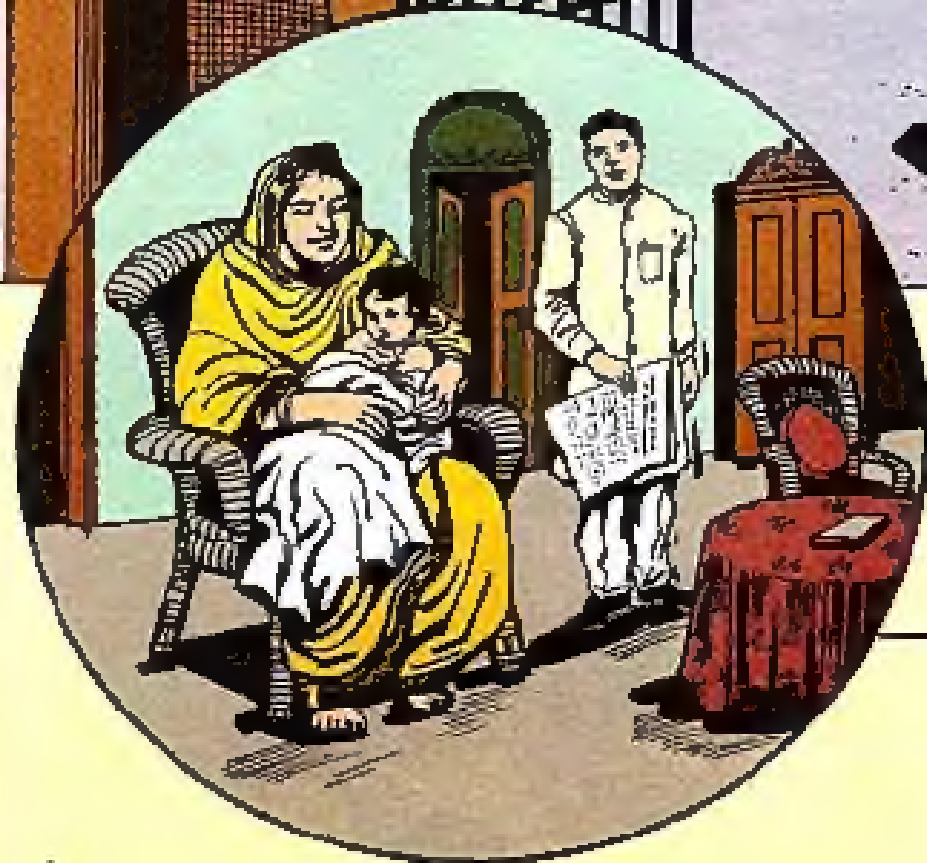
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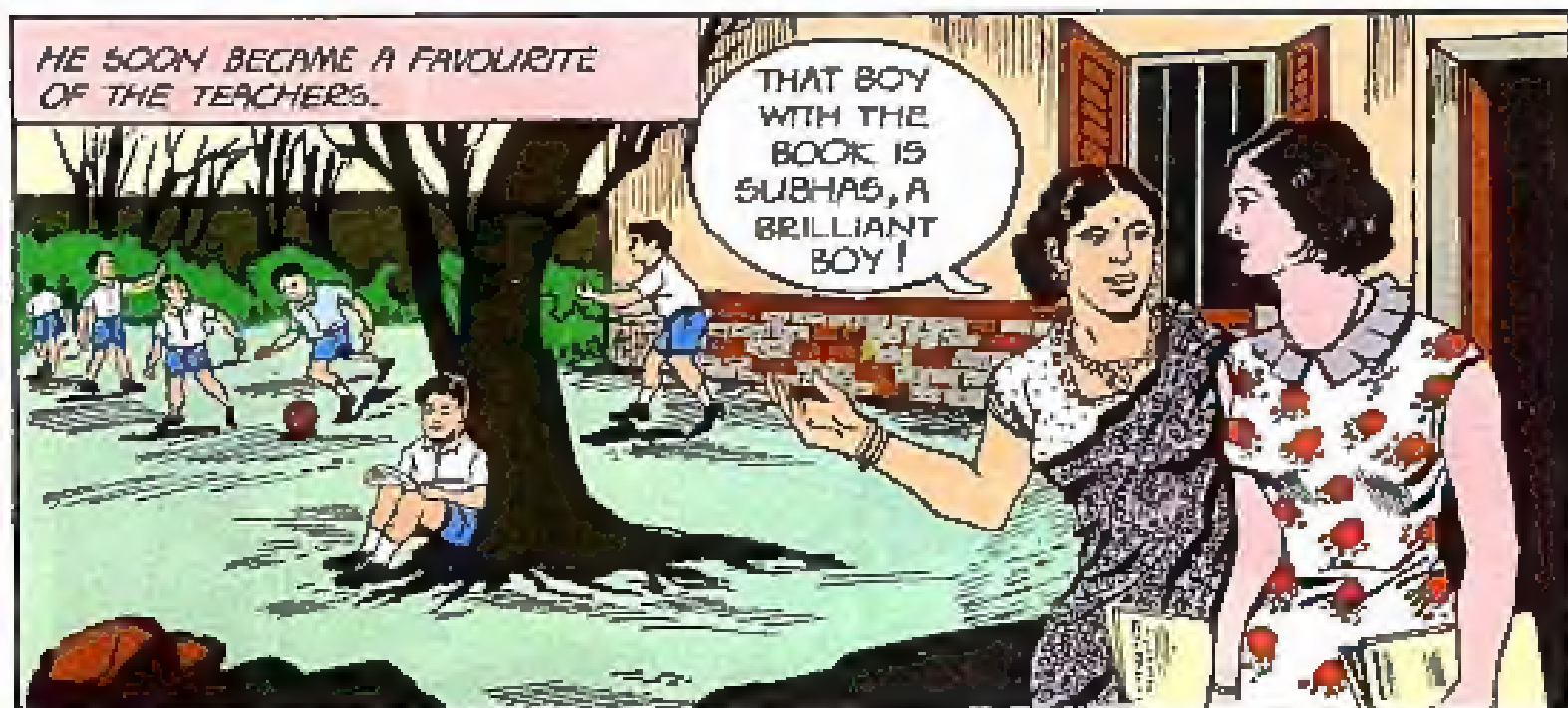


SUBHAS CHANDRA BOSE WAS BORN IN CUTTACK, ORISSA, ON JANUARY 23, 1897. HIS MOTHER WAS PRABHAVATI AND HIS FATHER, THE FAMOUS LAWYER, JANAKI NATH BOSE.

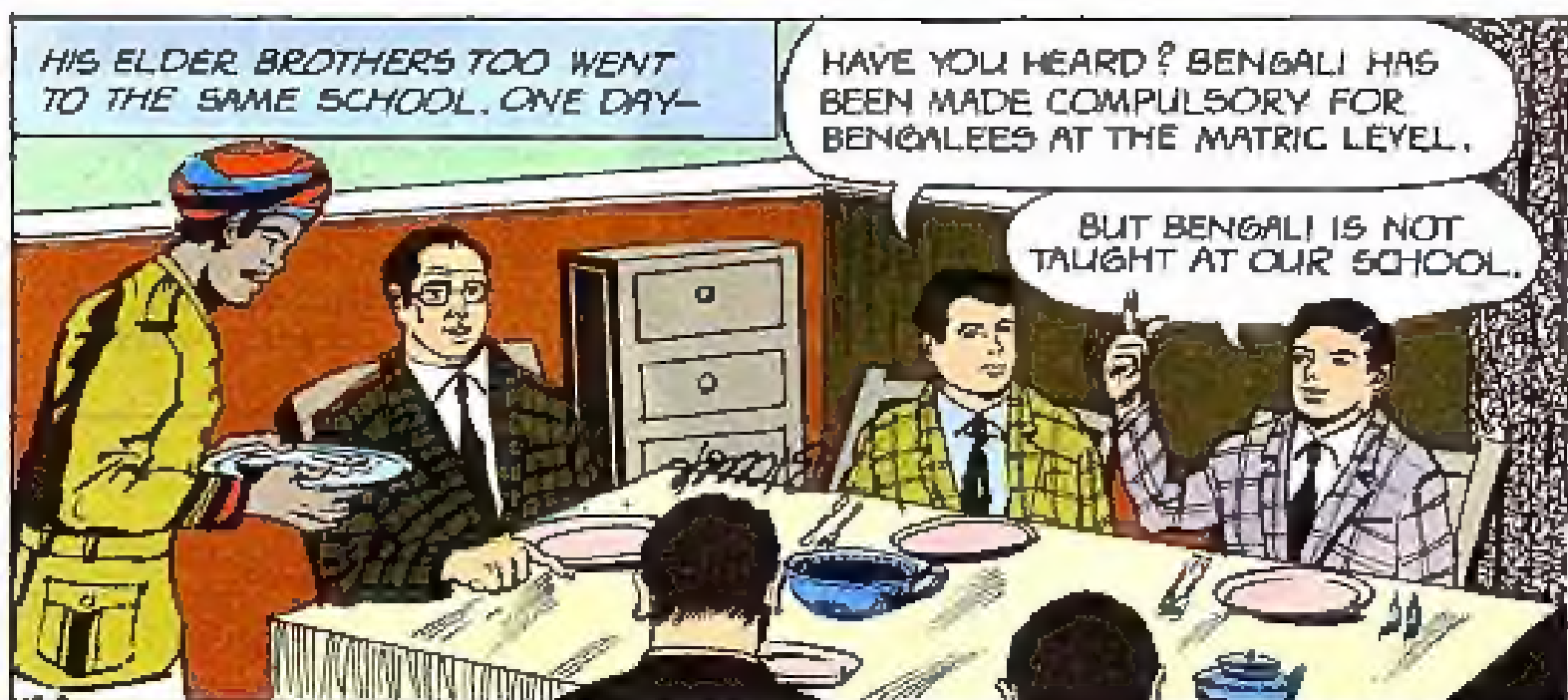
WHEN SUBHAS WAS FIVE, HE WAS ADMITTED TO THE PROTESTANT EUROPEAN SCHOOL, AT CUTTACK.



HE SOON BECAME A FAVOURITE OF THE TEACHERS.



HIS ELDER BROTHERS TOO WENT TO THE SAME SCHOOL. ONE DAY—





SUBHAS WHO WAS NOW TWELVE YEARS OLD, WAS TRANSFERRED TO RAVENSHAW COLLEGIATE SCHOOL.

SO YOU HAVE NEVER LEARNT BENGALI.

NO. BUT I SOON WILL, SIR.



ON THE VERY FIRST DAY AT THE NEW SCHOOL -

FROM TOMORROW I SHALL DRESS LIKE THEM.



THE NEXT DAY AS SUBHAS WAS LEAVING FOR SCHOOL, HIS FATHER SAW HIM.

WHY? WHAT IS THE MATTER? WHY ARE YOU GOING TO SCHOOL DRESSED LIKE THIS?

THIS IS HOW THEY ALL DRESS AT THE NEW SCHOOL, FATHER.



BENI MADHAV DAS, THE HEAD MASTER, WAS A TRUE NATIONALIST.

NEVER FORGET, WE ARE INDIANS AND INDIA IS A GREAT COUNTRY. WHILE YOU LEARN YOUR LESSONS, LEARN TO LOVE YOUR COUNTRY TOO.



Saira

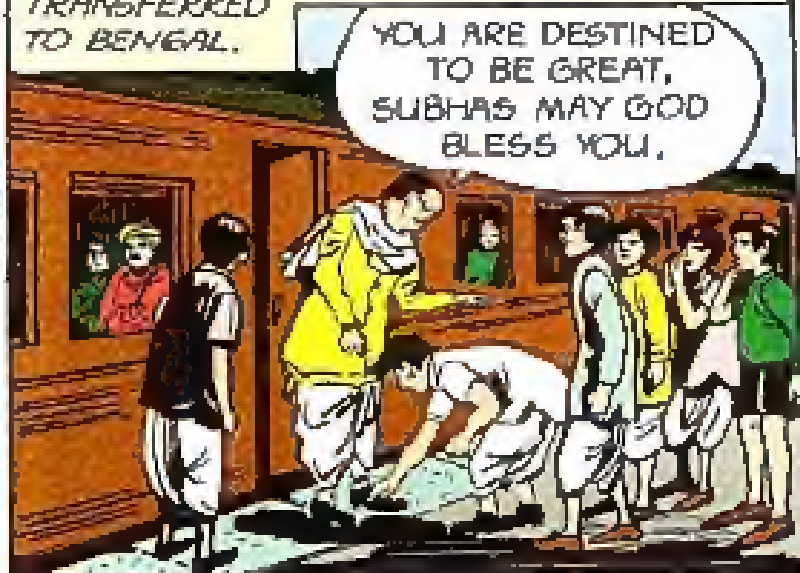
A FEW MONTHS LATER, ON THE EVE OF THE FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF THE MARTYRDOM OF KSHUDIRAM BOSE WHO WAS HANGED ON AUGUST 11, 1910



BENI MADHAV DAS DID NOT SAY A WORD TO THE BOYS, BUT HE WAS PROUD OF THEM. HE TOO FASTED.



THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT DID NOT LIKE THAT AND BENI MADHAV DAS WAS TRANSFERRED TO BENGAL.



SUBHAS HUNG A PHOTOGRAPH OF BENI MADHAV DAS IN THE SCHOOL HALL.

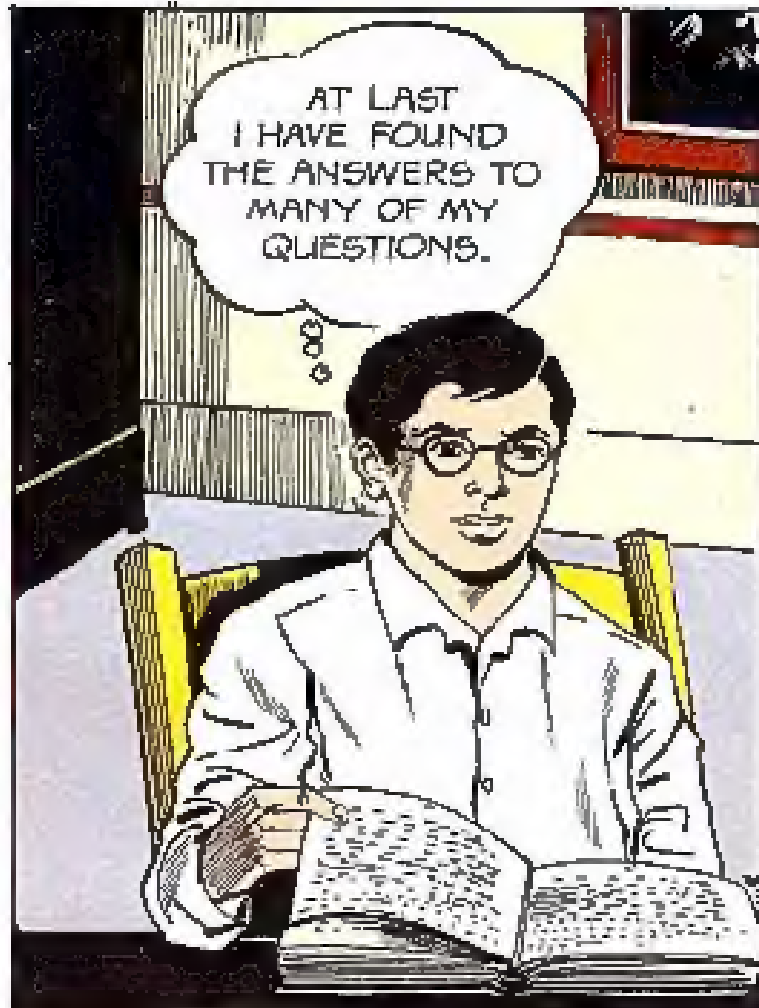


ACCORDINGLY, WHEN A SMALL-POX EPIDEMIC HIT A VILLAGE, SUBHAS FORMED A VOLUNTEER CORPS WITH HIS FRIENDS TO NURSE THE POOR AND NEGLECTED PATIENTS.



AT THE AGE OF FIFTEEN, SUBHAS  
BEGAN READING THE WORKS OF  
SWAMI VIVEKANANDA.

HOW NOBLE AND  
INSPIRING.



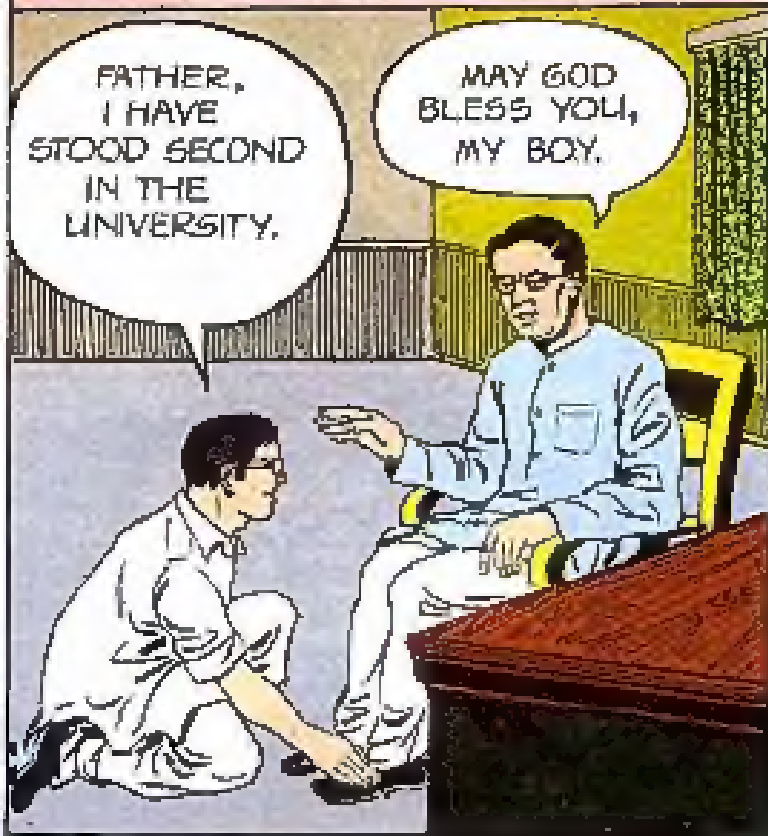
AT ABOUT THE SAME TIME SUBHAS  
STARTED PRACTISING YOGA TOO.

BUT HE WAS STILL RESTLESS.

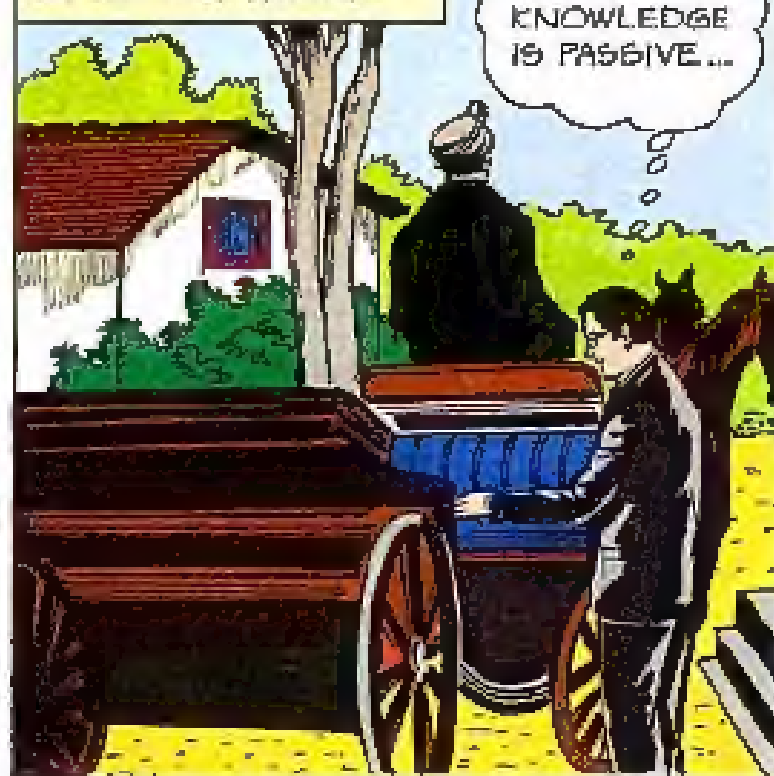
I NEED A  
GURL TO  
GUIDE ME  
TO MY  
DESTINY.



MEANWHILE, SUBHAS PASSED HIS MATRICULATION EXAMINATION.



SUBHAS WENT TO CALCUTTA WHERE HE SECURED ADMISSION TO THE PRESIDENCY COLLEGE. ON HIS WAY HOME-



YOUNG SUBHAS'S YEARNING FOR A GURU BECAME VERY STRONG. HE SPOKE ABOUT IT TO A LIKE-MINDED FRIEND.



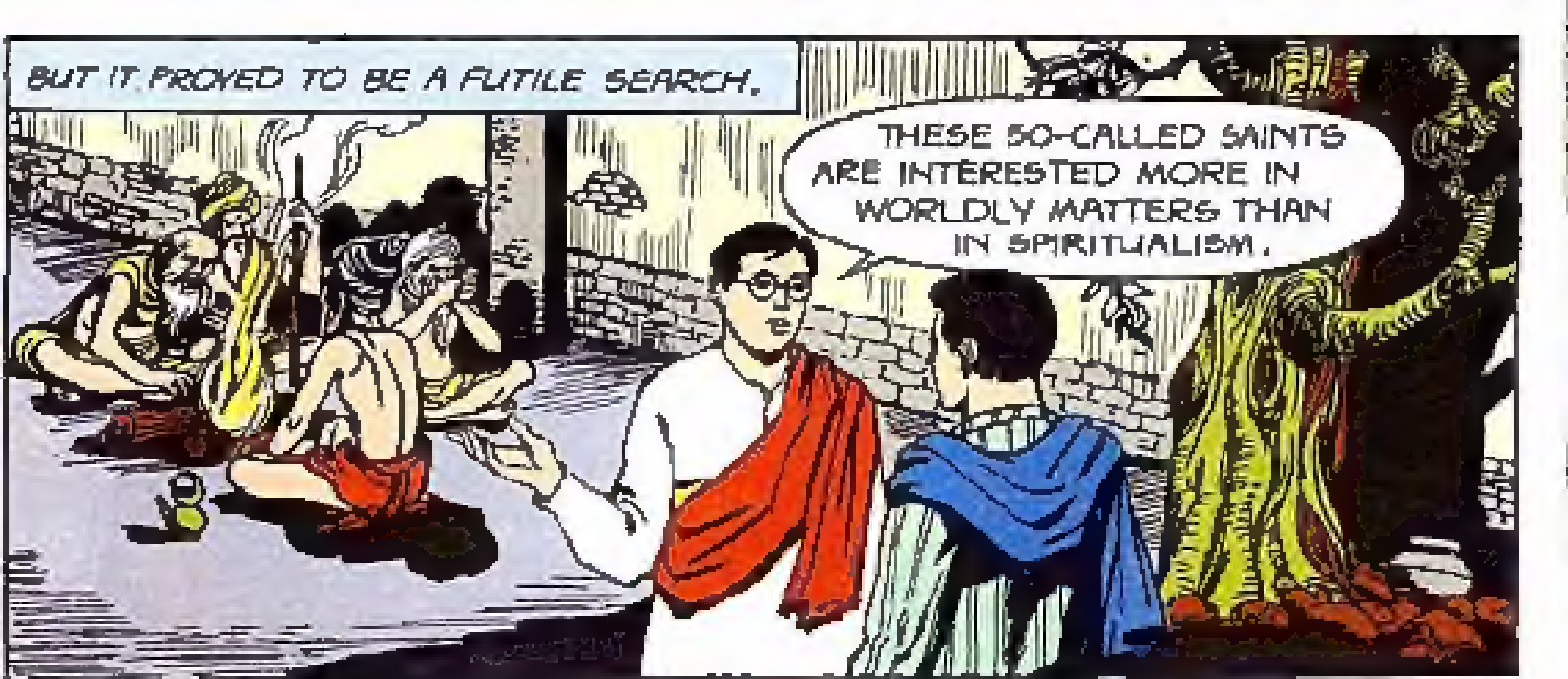


SO, ACCOMPANIED BY THE FRIEND, SUBHAS VISITED MANY PILGRIM CENTRES, HOPING TO FIND A TRUE GURU.



BUT IT PROVED TO BE A FUTILE SEARCH.

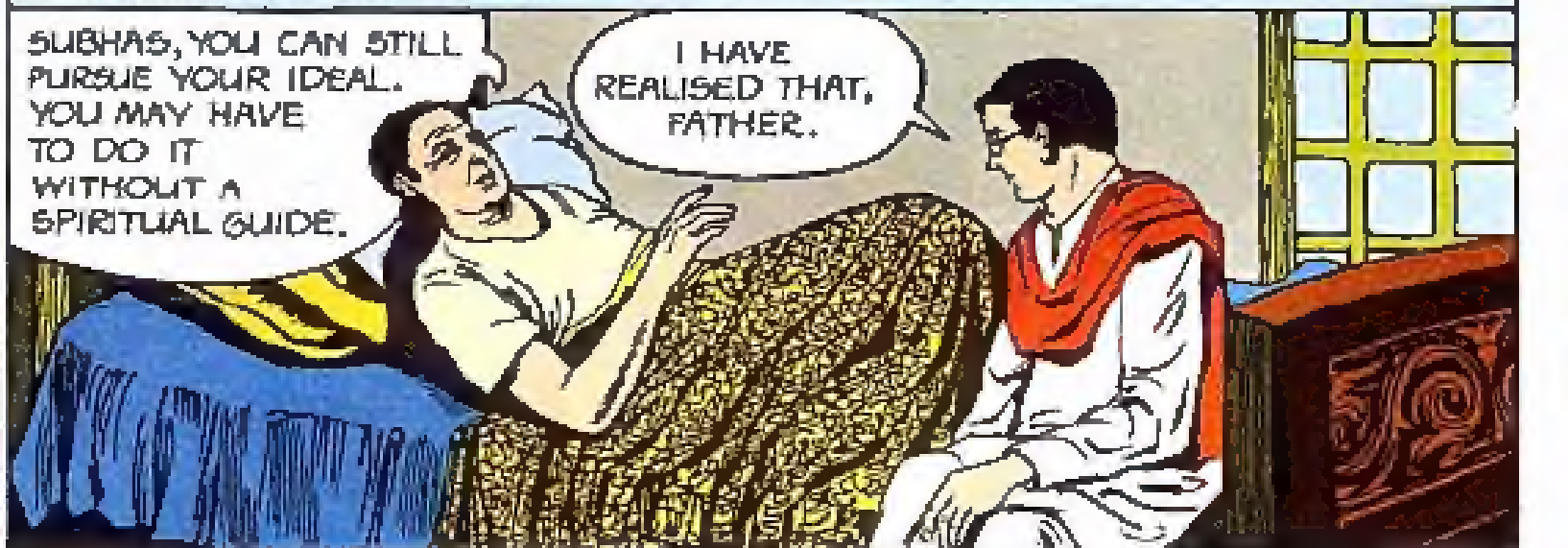
THESE SO-CALLED SAINTS  
ARE INTERESTED MORE IN  
WORLDLY MATTERS THAN  
IN SPIRITUALISM.

A man in a white shirt and red shawl is gesturing while talking to another man in a blue shawl. In the background, a group of people, including a woman in a yellow sari, are sitting on the ground. The scene is set outdoors with a stone wall and a tree.

DISILLUSIONED, SUBHAS RETURNED HOME TO CALCUTTA.


SUBHAS, YOU CAN STILL  
PURSUE YOUR IDEAL.  
YOU MAY HAVE  
TO DO IT  
WITHOUT A  
SPIRITUAL GUIDE.

I HAVE  
REALISED THAT,  
FATHER.

A man in a white shirt and red shawl is sitting on a bed, talking to a woman in a white shirt and blue shawl who is lying down. The woman is gesturing with her hands. The scene is set indoors with a window in the background.

SUBHAS WENT TO  
COLLEGE. THE  
RUDE BEHAVIOUR  
OF THE BRITISH  
TEACHERS THERE  
WAS HUMILIATING  
TO THE INDIAN  
STUDENTS.

YOU NATIVES HAVE  
NOTHING IN YOUR  
BRAINS BUT  
SAWDUST.

A man in a blue checkered shirt is standing and talking to a group of students who are sitting at a desk. The man is gesturing with his hand. The scene is set indoors with a window in the background.

PROFESSOR OTEN'S REMARK AT A COLLEGE MEETING WAS THE LAST STRAW.

YOU ARE BARBARIANS!  
IT IS WE ENGLISH  
WHO HAVE  
CIVILIZED  
YOU.



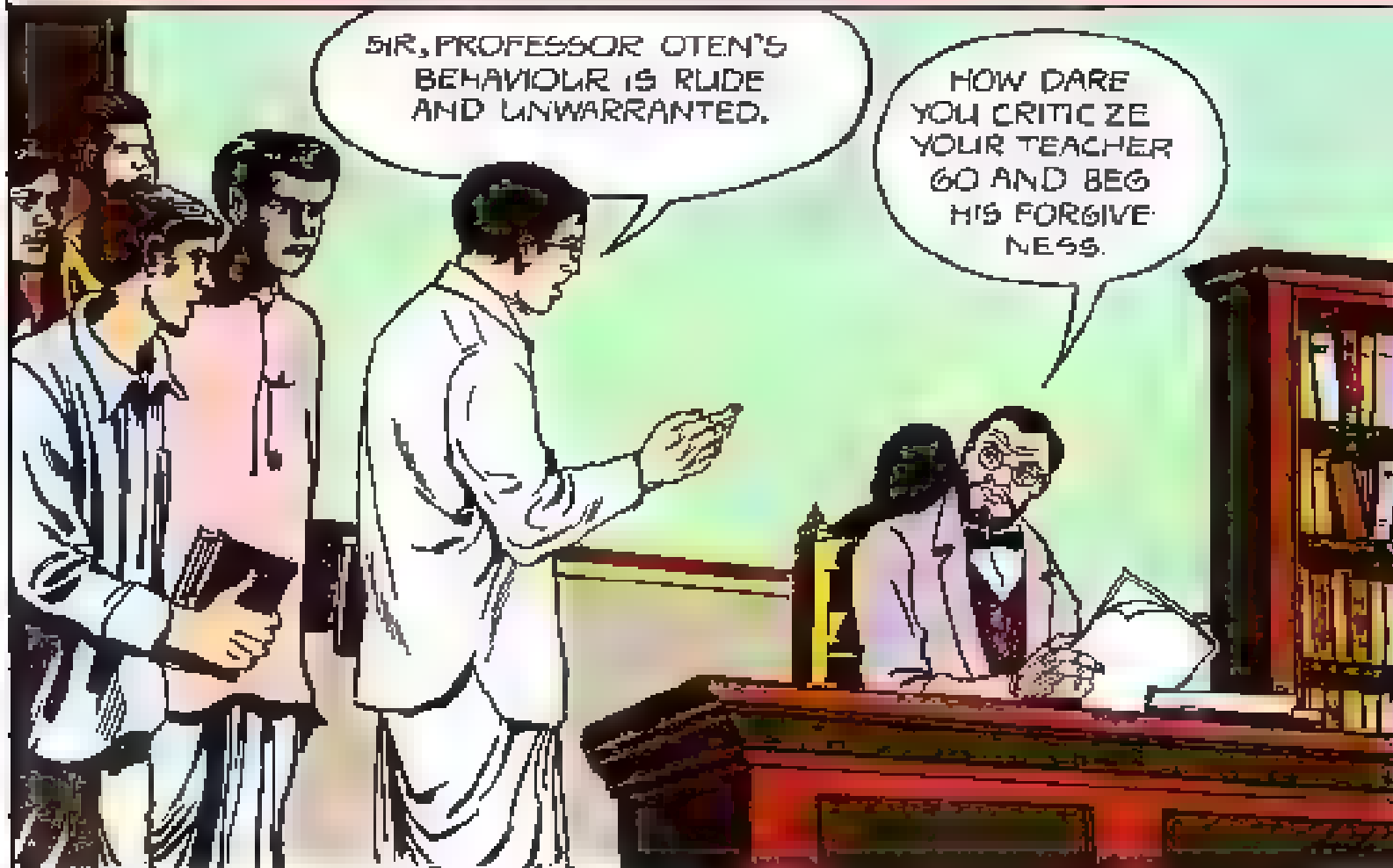
WE HAVE  
TOLERATED ENOUGH  
WE MUST  
PROTEST



SUBHAS LED A BATCH OF STUDENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL'S ROOM. THE PRINCIPAL, MR JAMES, WAS ALSO AN ENGLISHMAN.

SIR, PROFESSOR OTEN'S  
BEHAVIOUR IS RUDE  
AND UNWARRANTED.

HOW DARE  
YOU CRITICIZE  
YOUR TEACHER  
GO AND BEG  
HIS FORGIVENESS.



THE STUDENTS WERE APPALLED.

HE INSULTED  
US AND WE  
HAVE TO ASK HIS  
PORGIVENESS  
THIS IS MOST  
UNJUST

WE MUST DO  
SOMETHING...

BUT DO  
IT WITH  
CAUTION.

SUBHAS TOOK THE LEAD AND CALLED FOR A STRIKE OVER A THOUSAND STUDENTS PARTICIPATED. NO CLASSES COULD BE HELD. THIS WAS THE FIRST STRIKE IN MODERN INDIA

WE DEMAND BETTER TREATMENT  
BOYCOTT THE CLASSES.

BOYCOTT  
CLASSES

IT WENT ON FOR THREE DAYS.  
THE INDIAN TEACHERS ALSO  
SUPPORTED IT AT LAST -

HURRAH!  
PROFESSOR  
OTEN HAS  
APOLOGISED.

LET'S CALL  
OFF THE STRIKE.

BUT PROFESSOR OTEN NEVER  
FORGAVE THE BOYS ONE DAY -

CAN'T YOU WALK WITHOUT  
FLAPPING YOUR SLIPPERS?



THE STUDENTS WERE FURIOUS.

WHEN DOES  
PROFESSOR OTEN  
GO HOME?

IN A FEW  
MINUTES.

AS PROFESSOR  
OTEN WALKED  
DOWN THE  
STAIRS—

BANG

OMG

WHEN THE PRINCIPAL, MR JAMES, LEARNT OF THIS, HE SENT FOR SUBHAS.

BOSE, WE ARE  
NOT SURE THAT  
YOU DID IT YOUR-  
SELF. BUT WE KNOW  
YOU WERE IN IT. WE  
CANNOT TOLERATE  
THIS CRIME. YOU  
ARE RUSTICATED  
FROM THE  
COLLEGE.

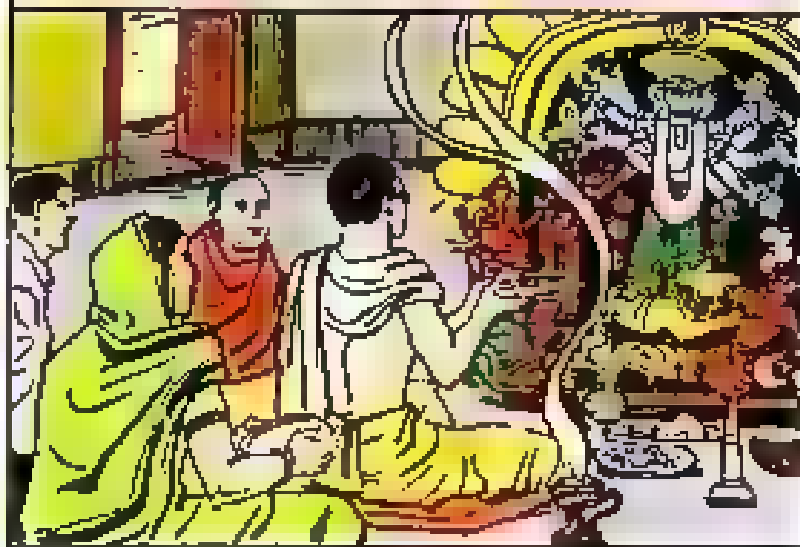
THANK YOU,  
MR.

SUBHAS RETURNED TO CUTTACK.

IT IS HEARTENING TO KNOW THAT MY PARENTS THINK I DID THE RIGHT THING.



DURGA PUJA WAS APPROACHING. SUBHAS ORGANISED A PUBLIC PUJA CEREMONY WITH HIS FRIENDS.



THEY FED THE POOR AND...



...FORMED A "NURSING BROTHERHOOD" TO RENDER SERVICE TO NEGLECTED PATIENTS.



SUBHAS SOON BECAME A POPULAR FIGURE

WHY DON'T YOU GO BACK TO COLLEGE?



SIR ASUTOSH MUKHERJI, VICE-CHANCELLOR OF CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY, WAS HELPFUL.



THE UNIVERSITY WILL HAVE NO OBJECTION IF THE PRINCIPAL OF ANY COLLEGE ADMITS HIM.

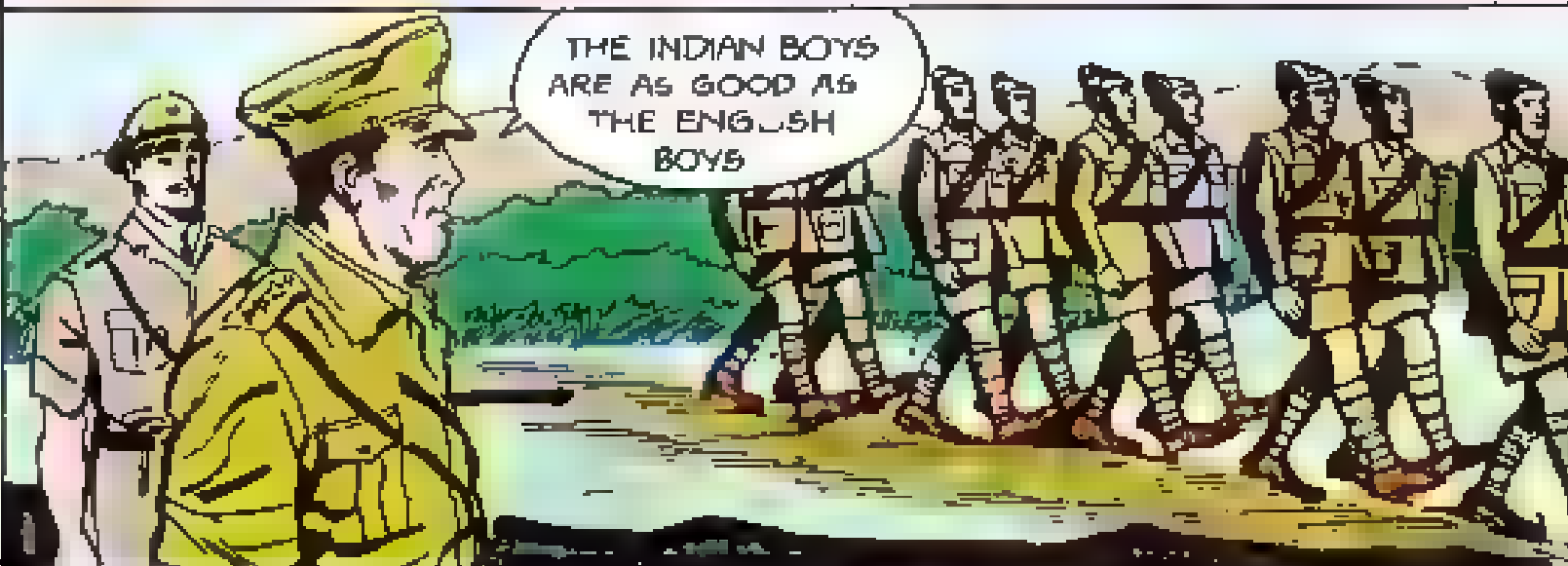
AFTER PERSISTENT EFFORTS, HE GAINED  
ADMISSION IN THE SCOTTISH CHURCH  
COLLEGE.



I'M GLAD, DECIDED TO JOIN THE  
UNIVERSITY TRAINING CORPS THIS  
MILITARY TRAINING IT OFFERS WILL  
BE USEFUL .. WHEN WE FIGHT  
THE BRITISH.



THE COMMANDING OFFICER OF THIS DIVISION WAS CAPTAIN GREY, AN ENGLISHMAN.



AT THAT TIME PROFESSOR OTEN HAPPENED  
TO BE THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION  
IN BENGAL HE CAME TO VISIT THE TRAINING  
CAMP, ONE DAY--



THAT BOY,  
CAPTAIN,  
IS HE ANY  
GOOD?

BOSE, SIR? WELL  
HE'S ONE OF THE  
BEST.



AFTER THE PARADE -

BOSE, YOUR CAPTAIN SPEAKS HIGHLY OF YOU.

I OFFER YOU A NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICER'S POST IN THE CORPS.

THANK YOU, SIR.

IT'S A GREAT HONOUR. I AM GRATEFUL TO YOU, SIR

SUBHAS GRADUATED FROM CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY AT THE AGE OF 22 AND WENT TO ENGLAND TO APPEAR FOR THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

YOU ARE DOING WELL. KEEP IT UP, MY BOY

THANK YOU, SIR.

HE PASSED THE EXAMINATION WITH MERIT.

CONGRATULATIONS, YOU HAVE STOOD FOURTH. YOU HAVE A BRIGHT FUTURE AHEAD OF YOU

THANK YOU...

...BUT I PLAN TO RESIGN FROM THE SERVICE

WHY?

I APPEARED FOR MY I.C.S EXAMINATION TO EDUCATE MYSELF - NOT TO BECOME A PART OF THE BUREAUCRATIC MACHINE OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.



SOON AFTERWARDS SUBHAS RETURNED TO INDIA.

YOUR  
RESIGNATION  
HAS CREATED A  
SENSATION, WHAT  
DO YOU PROPOSE  
TO DO NOW?

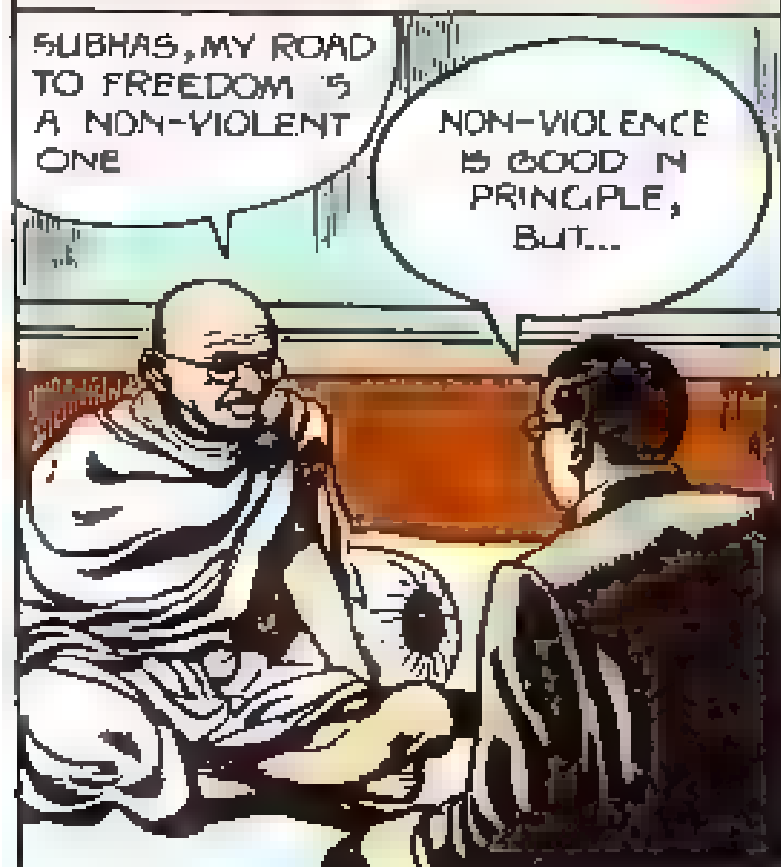
WORK TO FREE  
MY COUNTRY



IMMEDIATELY AFTER LANDING  
AT BOMBAY, HE MET MAHATMA  
GANDHI AND TALKED ABOUT THE  
FREEDOM STRUGGLE, BUT—

SUBHAS, MY ROAD  
TO FREEDOM IS  
A NON-VIOLENT  
ONE

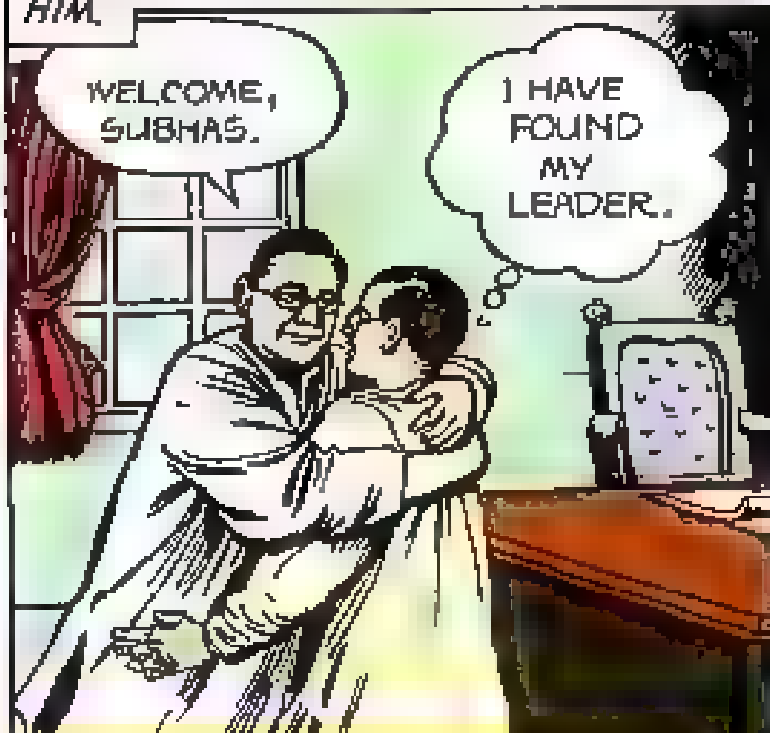
NON-VIOLENCE  
IS GOOD IN  
PRINCIPLE,  
BUT...



KNOW YOUR  
IDEAS, I SUGGEST  
YOU SEE  
DESHABANDHU  
CHITTARANJAN DAS  
AND WORK  
WITH HIM.



DESHABANDHU CHITTARANJAN DAS WAS THE UNCROWNED KING OF BENGAL. SUBHAS CAME TO CALCUTTA AND MET HIM.



SOON SUBHAS BECAME AN ACTIVE WORKER AND THE RIGHT HAND MAN OF DESHABANDHU.

ON DECEMBER 10, 1921, HE WAS ARRESTED FOR THE FIRST TIME FOR ANTI-GOVERNMENT ACTIVITIES.



FOR A LIVING HE TOOK ON THE PRINCIPALSHIP OF THE NATIONAL COLLEGE AT CALCUTTA.



DESHASANDHU HAD DIFFERENCES OF OPINION WITH OTHER LEADERS OF THE CONGRESS. HE DECIDED TO FORM A NEW PARTY.



LATER, WHEN IN THE MONTH OF APRIL 1924, THE CALCUTTA CORPORATION ELECTIONS WERE HELD, THE SWARAJ PARTY BAGGED ALMOST ALL THE SEATS.



DESHABANDHJI WAS ELECTED THE MAYOR AND SUBHAS WAS APPOINTED THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE CALCUTTA CORPORATION.



THE SWARAJISTS INTRODUCED MANY CHANGES IN THE ADMINISTRATION. KHADI WAS MADE THE OFFICIAL DRESS OF THE CORPORATION WORKERS.



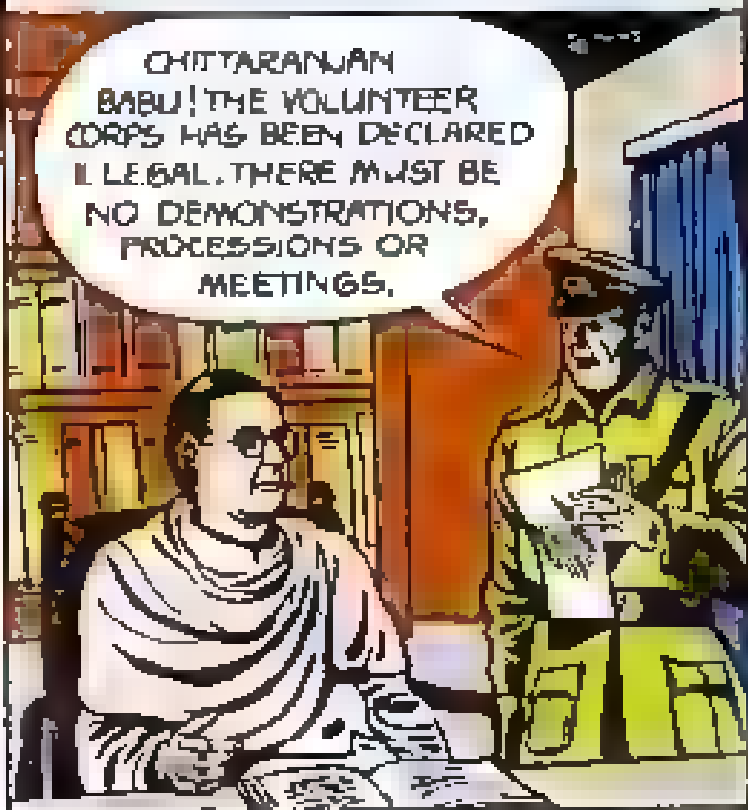
SUBHAS, AS THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, PERSONALLY INSPECTED THE WORK OF THE MUNICIPAL STAFF ON THE STREETS.



SEE, THE C.E.O. HIMSELF IS HERE AT SUCH AN EARLY HOUR.

UNDER THE GUIDANCE OF CHITTARANJAN DAS, SUBHAS FORMED A VOLUNTEER CORPS TO SELL KHADI AND DO OTHER SOCIAL AND POLITICAL WORK. BUT -

CHITTARANJAN BABU! THE VOLUNTEER CORPS HAS BEEN DECLARED ILLEGAL. THERE MUST BE NO DEMONSTRATIONS, PROCESSIONS OR MEETINGS.



SUBHAS STARTED SENDING FIVE VOLUNTEERS EVERY DAY FOR DEMONSTRATIONS.

WEAR KHADI!

USE NATIONAL GOODS!

BOYCOTT FOREIGN GOODS!



THE ATMOSPHERE IN CALCUTTA WAS VERY TENSE. ONE DAY -

SENSATIONAL! HOT NEWS! ONE EUROPEAN MURDERED GOPINATH SAHA ARRESTED.



THE GOVERNMENT GOT A CHANCE TO ARREST SUBHAS AGAIN ON A FALSE PRETEXT.

MR. BOSE, YOU ARE ARRESTED FOR MASTERMINDING THE MURDER OF THE EUROPEAN.

I PROTEST! I HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH T.





DEMONSTRATIONS FOLLOWED  
THE ARREST OF SUBHAS.

SHAME! SHAME! FREE  
SUBHAS BOSE  
IMMEDIATELY. SUBHAS  
BOSE ZINDABAD!

FRIGHTENED BY THE MOOD OF THE  
PUBLIC, THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT  
SENT SUBHAS TO MANDALAY JAIL  
IN BURMA

I AM BEING  
PUNISHED  
WITHOUT EVEN A  
TRIAL FOR A CRIME  
I DID NOT COMMIT  
THIS IS INJUSTICE.

THE JAIL WAS HORRIBLE THERE WAS  
NO SHELTER FROM THE RAIN OR THE  
HOT SUN.

IS THIS A  
PRISON FOR  
MEN OR A CAGE  
FOR BEASTS?

UNDER THE INHUMAN, UNHEALTHY  
CONDITIONS, SUBHAS FELL ILL.

COUGH -  
COUGH -

SUBHAS CONTRACTED TUBERCULOSIS.  
IT RUINED HIS HEALTH



HIS  
CONDITION IS  
SERIOUS.

VERY BAD  
INDEED.

THE NEWS SPREAD IN CALCUTTA  
LIKE WILDFIRE.



RELEASE  
HIM AT ONCE.  
LONG LIVE  
SUBHAS BOSE

THE GOVERNMENT HAS AGREED  
TO RELEASE YOU ON CONDITION  
THAT YOU WILL LEAVE  
IMMEDIATELY FOR EUROPE.



I REFUSE  
CONDITIONAL  
FREEDOM.  
WOULD RATHER  
DIE HERE.

GRADUALLY HIS CONDITION BECAME  
ALARMING AND THE GOVERNMENT  
RELEASED HIM UNCONDITIONALLY.

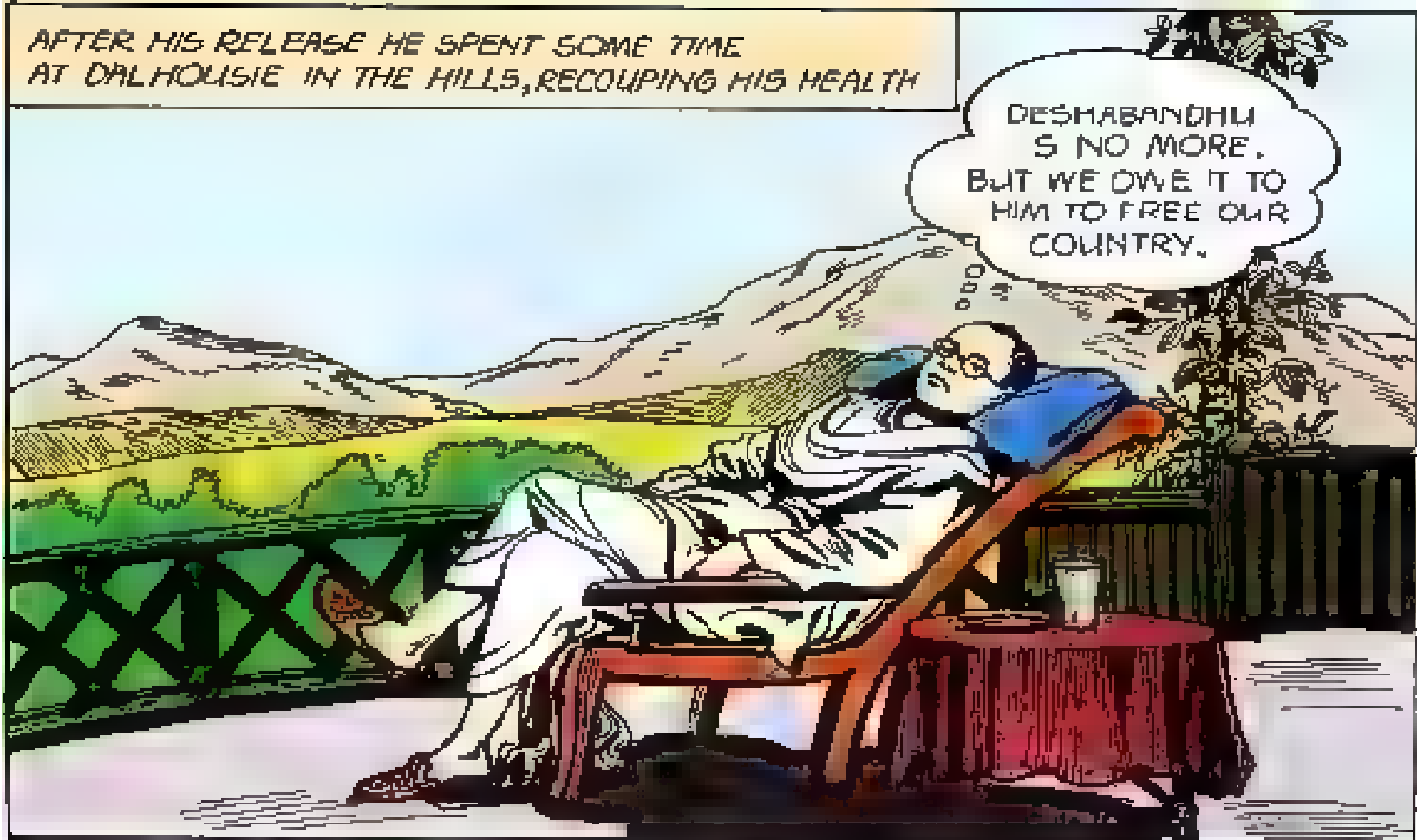


MR BOSE,  
YOU ARE  
RELEASED. THE  
BRITISH  
GOVERNMENT  
IS KIND.

SO  
KIND THAT  
IT SENDS  
INNOCENT  
MEN TO  
JAIL.

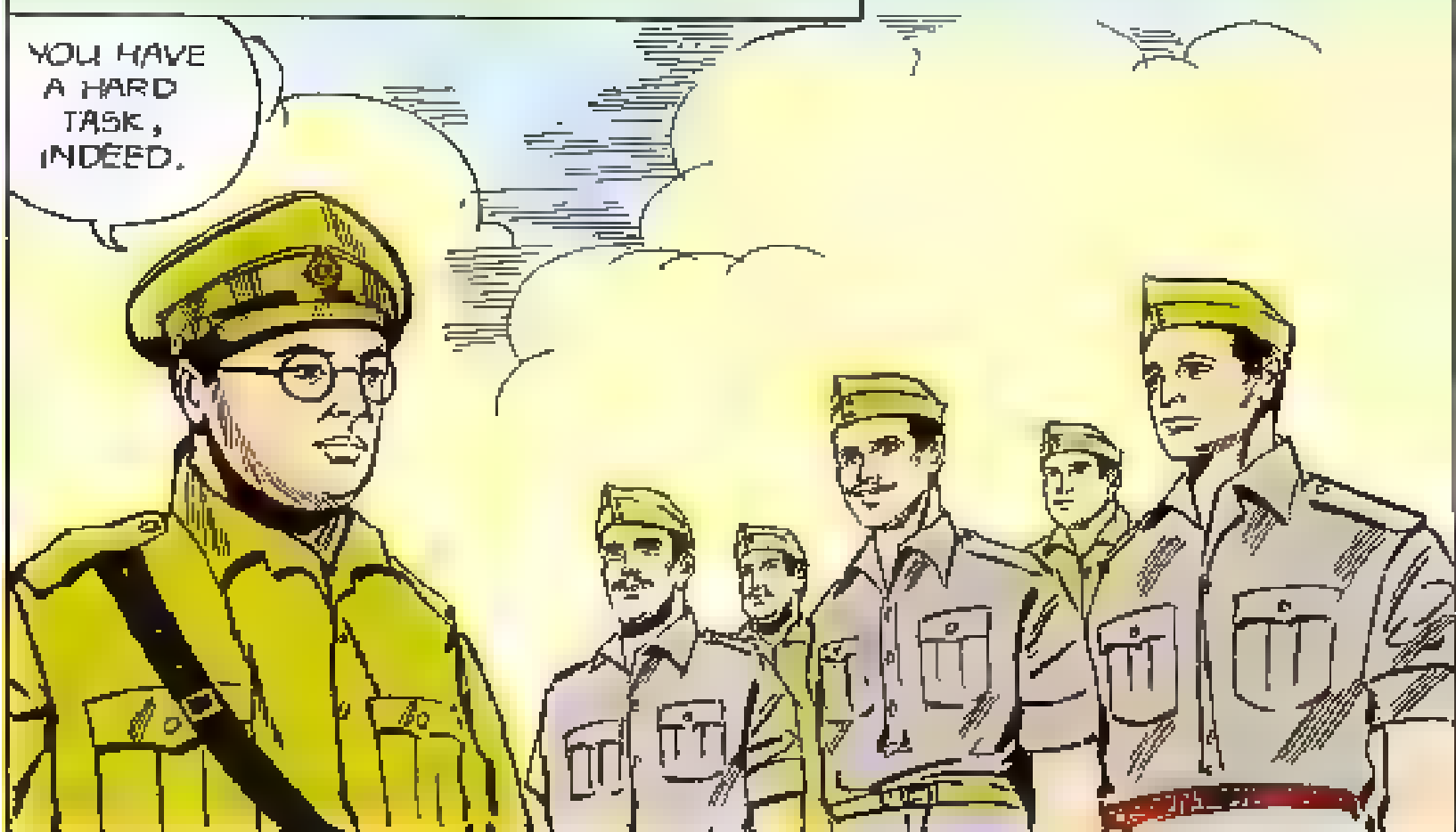
AFTER HIS RELEASE HE SPENT SOME TIME  
AT DALHOUSIE IN THE HILLS, RECOUPING HIS HEALTH

DESHABANDHU  
IS NO MORE.  
BUT WE OWE IT TO  
HIM TO FREE OUR  
COUNTRY.



IN 1928, THE INDIAN NATIONAL CONGRESS HELD ITS SESSION IN CALCUTTA  
SUBHAS ORGANISED A VOLUNTEER CORPS ON THE OCCASION AND  
BECAME ITS GENERAL OFFICER COMMANDING.

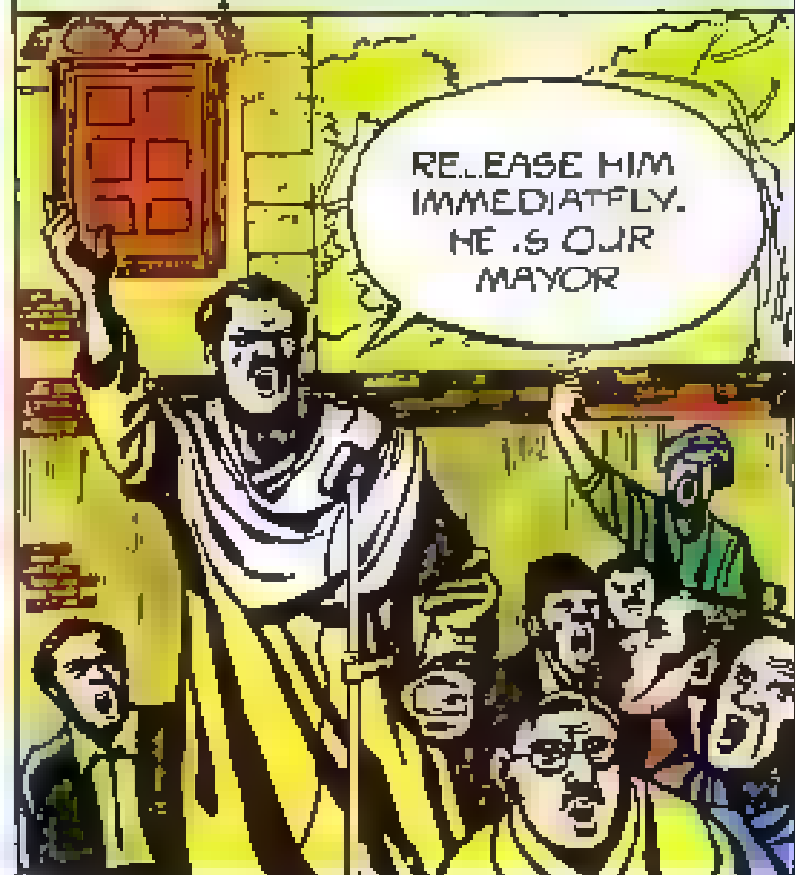
YOU HAVE  
A HARD  
TASK,  
INDEED.



THE GOVERNMENT WAS SUSPICIOUS OF SUBHAS AND HIS VOLUNTEERS



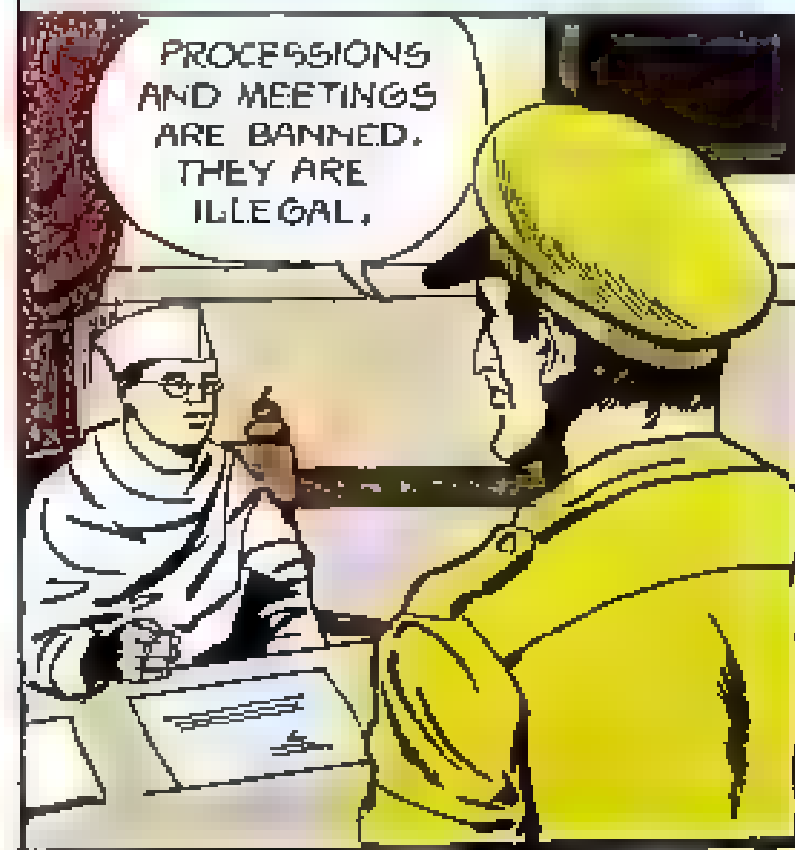
WHILE IN JAIL, HE WAS ELECTED THE MAYOR OF CALCUTTA CORPORATION IN 1931.



SUBHAS WAS RELEASED AND TOOK UP HIS DUTIES AS THE MAYOR OF CALCUTTA.

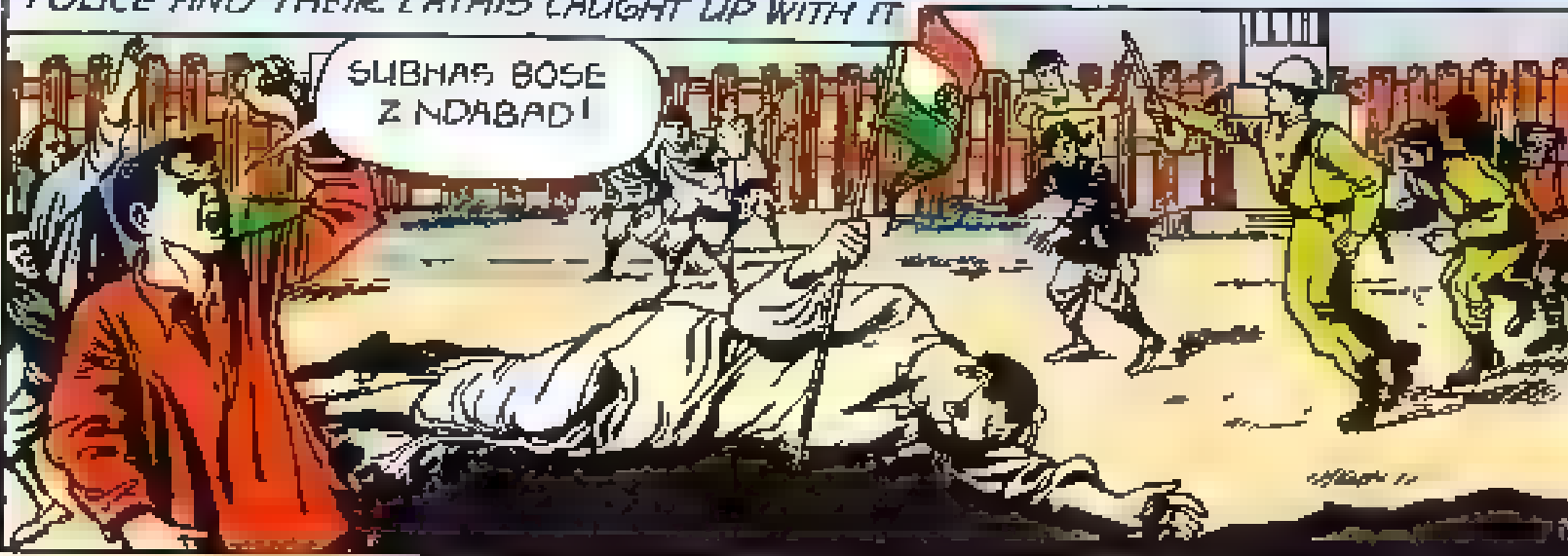


HE PLANNED PUBLIC MEETINGS AND PROCESSIONS FOR "INDEPENDENCE DAY" - JANUARY 26. BUT -





SUBHAS LED A PROCESSION FROM THE CORPORATION BUILDING, BUT THE POLICE AND THEIR LATHIS CAUGHT UP WITH IT.



SUBHAS BOSE  
Z NDABADI

HE WAS IN JAIL AGAIN, THIS TIME AT INSIN NEAR RANGOON ONCE AGAIN HE FELL ILL.



HIS CONDITION DETERIORATED.

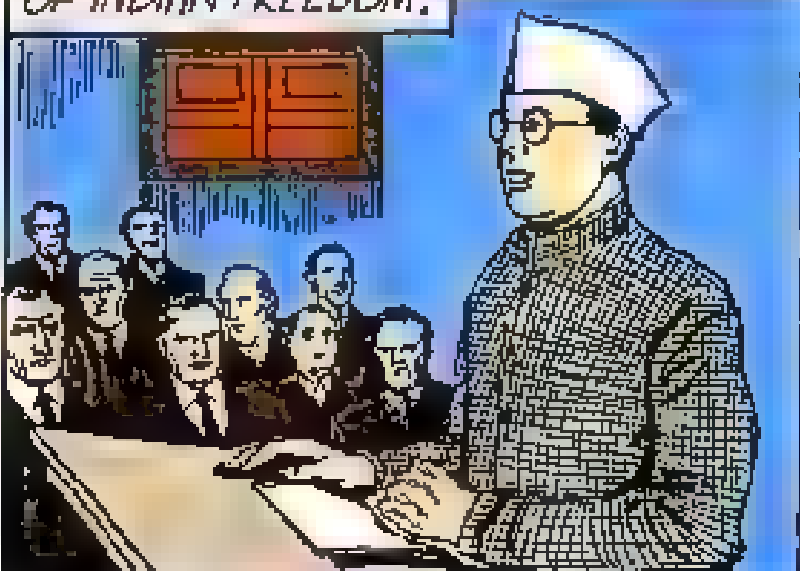
SUBHAS, THEY  
ARE AGITATING  
FOR YOUR  
RELEASE ALL  
OVER INDIA.



HE WAS RELEASED, HE PROCEEDED TO EUROPE FOR TREATMENT, AT VIENNA...



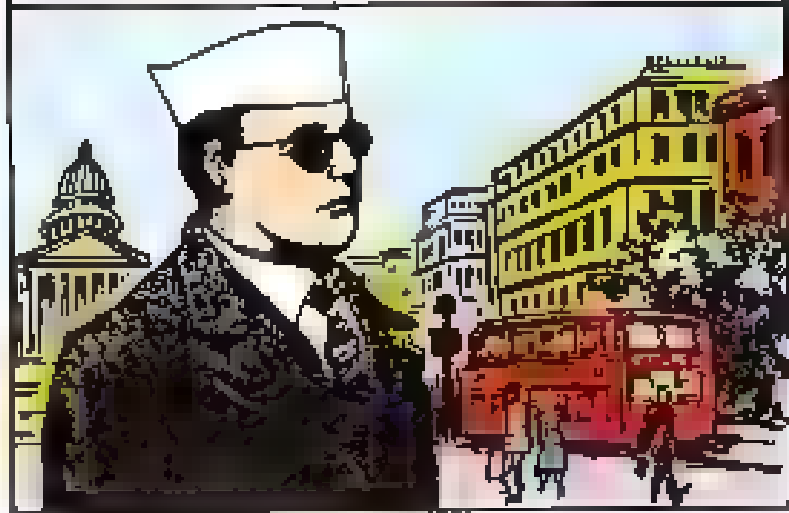
...HIS HEALTH GRADUALLY IMPROVED AND HE TOURLED MANY COUNTRIES OF EUROPE TO PROMOTE THE CAUSE OF INDIAN FREEDOM.



WHEN HE HEARD THAT HIS FATHER WAS ON HIS DEATH-BED IN CALCUTTA HE ARRIVED IN BOMBAY WITHOUT THE GOVERNMENT'S PERMISSION.



HIS FATHER DIED BEFORE SUBHAS COULD REACH CALCUTTA. HE WENT BACK TO EUROPE.



WHEN HE WAS ELECTED CONGRESS PRESIDENT AT THE HARIPLURA SESSION IN 1938 HE WAS ALLOWED TO RETURN TO INDIA

WAR IN EUROPE IS IMMINENT THIS IS OUR CHANCE TO STRIKE AT THE BRITISH.



THE OTHER LEADERS, INCLUDING GANDHIJI, DID NOT AGREE. THEY OPPOSED HIS RE-ELECTION FOR THE NEXT SESSION AT TRIPURA IN 1939. BUT SUBHAS WON.

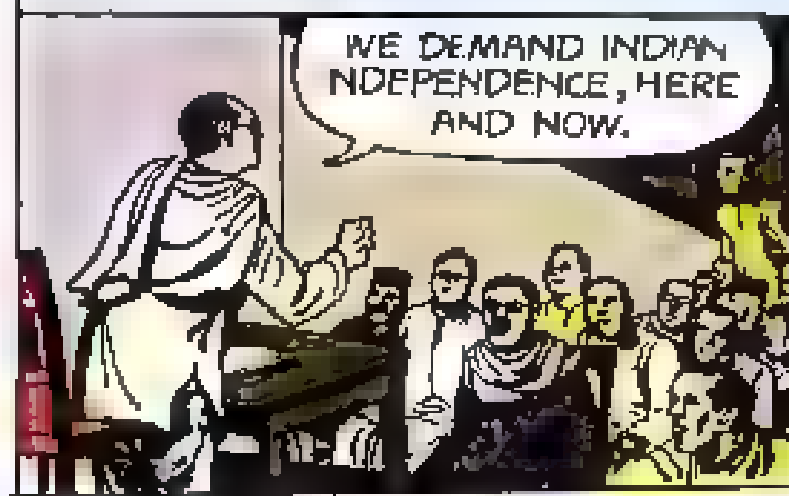


BUT HIS VICTORY WAS NOT TO LAST LONG.

MY DIFFERENCES WITH THE MAHATMA WILL SPLIT THE PARTY. I MUST RESIGN.



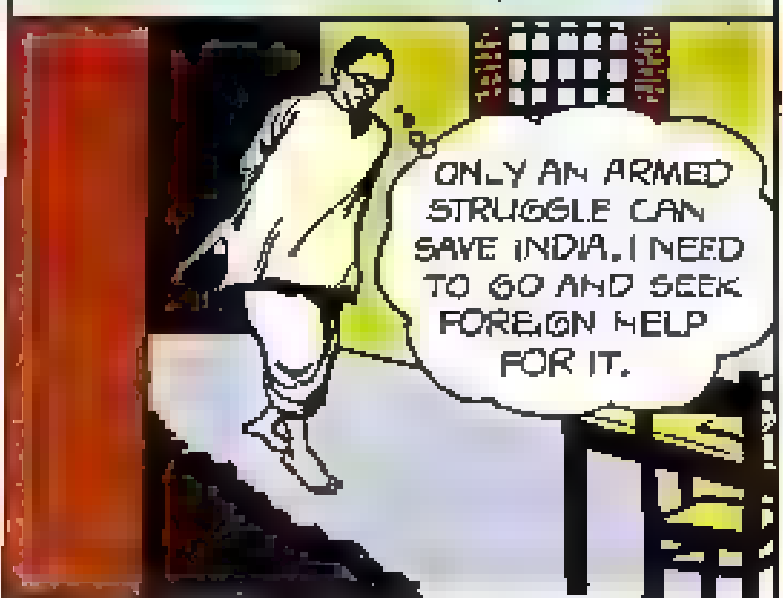
WITHIN THREE DAYS OF HIS RESIGNATION HE FORMED THE FORWARD BLOC WITHIN THE CONGRESS PARTY.



ON THE THIRD OF JULY, WE SHALL DESTROY THE HOLWELL MONUMENT, WHICH IS A SYMBOL OF OUR SLAVERY.



HE WAS ARRESTED AND SENT TO JAIL.



IN JAIL HE PLANNED HIS ESCAPE. HE STARTED FASTING.



AFRAID OF PUBLIC ANGER, THE GOVERNMENT RELEASED HIM BUT HIS HOUSE WAS HEAVILY GUARDED.



ON THE MIDNIGHT OF JANUARY 7, 1941, A BEARDED MUSLIM CAME OUT IN A CHAUFFEURED BLACK CAR.



HE WAS SEEN NEXT IN A TRAIN IN A FIRST CLASS COMPARTMENT.



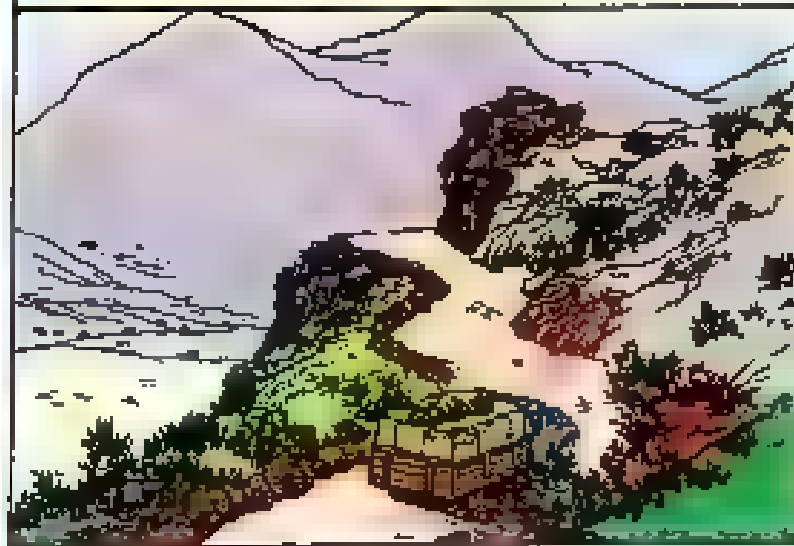
I AM MOULVI JAUDDIN, AN INSURANCE AGENT.

IT WAS NONE OTHER THAN SUBHAS.

AT PESHAWAR, HE BECAME A DEAF AND DUMB PATHAN AND ACCOMPANIED ANOTHER PATHAN WHO WAS ALSO AN INDIAN IN DISGUISE.



SUBHAS REACHED KABUL IN A LOADED LORRY.



FINALLY HE REACHED BERLIN VIA MOSCOW AND STARTED HECTIC ACTIVITIES TO LIBERATE INDIA.



HE ORGANIZED THE INDIAN NATIONAL ARMY WITH INDIAN PRISONERS OF WAR AND FORMED THE INDIAN INDEPENDENCE LEAGUE.



HE ALSO MET HITLER AND SOUGHT HIS HELP.



BUT GERMANY WAS TOO FAR OFF TO WAGE WAR AGAINST THE BRITISH IN INDIA.



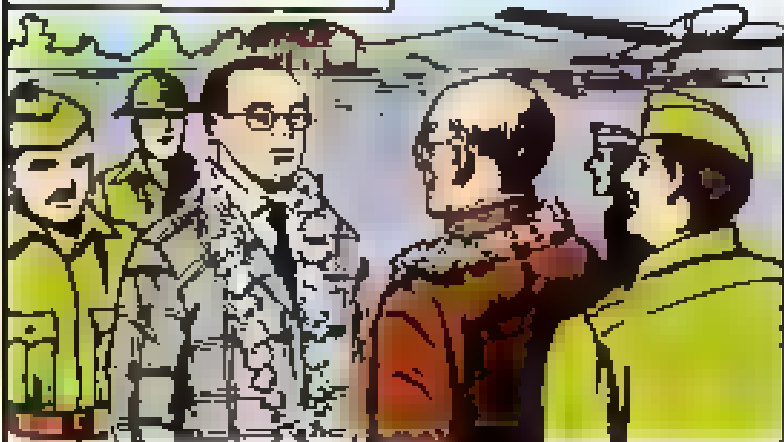
HE TRAVELLED BY A GERMAN SUBMARINE TO SOUTH EAST ASIA ON JANUARY 26, 1943.



HE THEN MOVED TO A JAPANESE SUBMARINE



HE ARRIVED ON JUNE 13 IN TOKYO. FROM TOKYO HE CAME TO SINGAPORE, WHERE HE WAS RECEIVED BY RASH BEHARI BOSE AND OTHER REVOLUTIONARIES.



HERE SUBHAS RAISED AN ARMY WITH INDIAN PRISONERS OF WAR CAPTURED BY THE JAPANESE.

YOU WERE FIGHTING FOR AN ALIEN POWER NOW, YOU SHALL FIGHT FOR YOUR OWN COUNTRY.



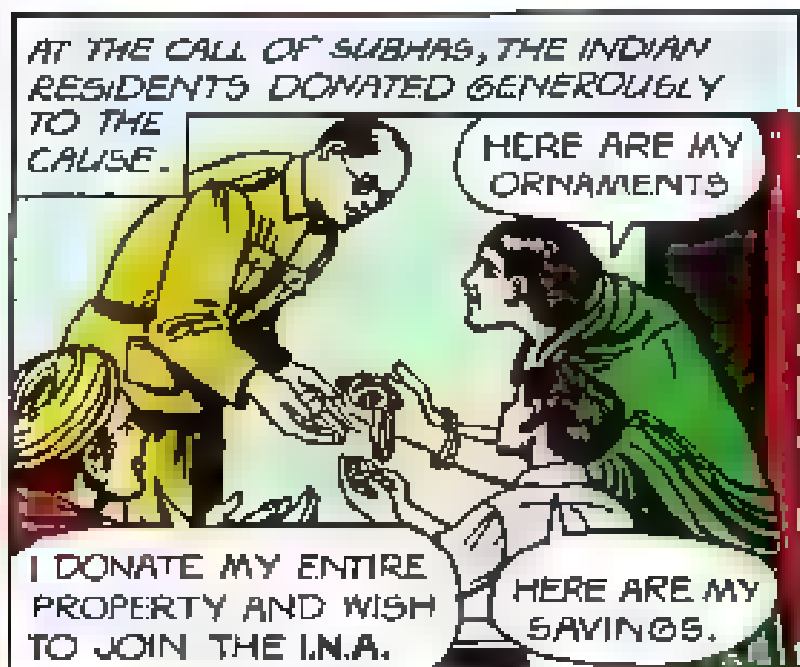
HE ALSO FORMED THE RANI OF JHANSI REGIMENT WITH INDIAN GIRLS, TO NURSE THE SOLDIERS



HE ANNOUNCED THE FORMATION OF THE AZAD HIND GOVERNMENT ON OCTOBER 31, 1943.







ON MARCH 14, THE IMPHAL KOHIMA ROAD IN ASSAM WAS CUT OFF BY THE ADVANCING FORCES. IMPHAL WAS COMPLETELY SURROUNDED BY THE I.N.A. AND THE JAPANESE.



THE I.N.A. ENTERED KOHIMA ON MARCH 18, 1944.



BUT THE BRITISH RESISTANCE IN IMPHAL WAS STRONG AND UNYIELDING.



THE JAPANESE WERE RETREATING EVERYWHERE. THE I.N.A. DEPENDS ON JAPAN FOR ARMS AND FOOD. ITS SUPPLIES WERE CUT.



THEN THE HEAVY MONSOON BURST ON THEM. THE BRITISH THRUST FORWARD. THE INDIAN NATIONAL ARMY HAD TO RETREAT.



ON APRIL 24, SUBHAS BROADCAST TO HIS FRIENDS, SOLDIERS AND COUNTRYMEN.

COMRADES I AT THIS CRITICAL HOUR I HAVE ONLY ONE WORD FOR YOU AND THAT IS IF YOU HAVE TO GO DOWN TEMPORARILY, THEN GO DOWN FIGHTING WITH THE NATIONAL TRICOLOUR HELD ALOFT. GO DOWN AS HEROES, GO DOWN UPHOLDING THE HIGHEST CODE OF HONOUR AND DISCIPLINE. I HAVE ALWAYS SAID THAT THE DARKEST HOUR PRECEDES THE DAWN. WE ARE NOW PASSING THROUGH THE DARKEST HOUR, THEREFORE, THE DAWN IS NOT FAR OFF. INDIA SHALL BE FREE.



THE JAPANESE SURRENDERED TO THE BRITISH-AMERICAN FORCES. THE I.N.A ALSO SURRENDERED ON AUGUST 16, 1945.



NETAJI'S LIFE WAS IN DANGER. THE BRITISH-AMERICAN FORCES WERE SEARCHING FOR HIM.

NETAJI, PLEASE LEAVE FOR A SAFE PLACE. IT'S RISKY HERE FOR YOU.

WAR IS A RISKY BUSINESS. DIDN'T YOU KNOW?



BUT WE NEED YOU SAFE-TO LEAD US AGAIN.

BUT NETAJI WOULD NOT LEAVE OR GIVE UP.

I WANT TO START AGAIN FROM SOME OTHER PLACE.

YES, NETAJI, THE TIME IS SHORT. WE CANNOT ALLOW YOU TO BE CAUGHT BY THE BRITISH.



ON AUGUST 17, NETAJI BOARDED A JAPANESE PLANE FOR SOME UNKNOWN DESTINATION WITH COL. HABIBUR RAHMAN.



WHAT BECAME OF NETAJI ON THAT FATEFUL TRIP IS A MYSTERY. IS HE DEAD? DOES HE LIVE? THERE IS NO ANSWER TO THESE QUESTIONS.

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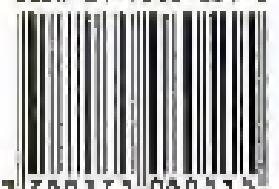
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